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In re Patent Application of	) Attorney Docket No.: <b>ASAIN0190</b>
Tsutomu OISHI et al.	) Confirmation No.: 6474
Serial No.: 10/599,281	) Group Art Unit: 1782
Filed: September 25, 2006	) Examiner: Elizabeth M. COLE
For: FIBER-REINFORCED HEAT- RESISTANT SOUND-ABSORBING MATERIAL AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME	) Date: September 29, 2010

**COMMENTS (E) ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

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In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed June 29, 2010, please enter the following comments regarding the application identified above as follow:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**REMARKS**

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed June 29, 2010, Applicants make the following Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance (i.e., Claim Interpretation) presented by the Examiner in the Office Action of June 29, 2010, at p. 2, ¶ 1. The Examiner's Reasons for Allowance deviates from the language of the allowed claims. Therefore, to the extent that the Examiner's Reasons for Allowance mischaracterize the allowed claim 9, Applicants object. The claims, as written, speak for themselves. Applicants agree that the claimed invention would not have been obvious at the time the invention was made, and that no prima facie showing of anticipation or obviousness could be made in view of the prior art of record.

Questions are welcomed by the below-signed attorney for Applicants.

Respectfully submitted,

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